

REMARKS

The above amendments correct the informality of claims 45-53 by adding an appropriate sequence identifier to each of these claims, as suggested on page 11 of the Final Office action dated January 6, 2010. In addition, the above amendments correct the antecedent basis issue raised by the term "the peptide linker" in each of claims 45-50. Claims 21 and 33, from which claims 45-50 depend, recite a peptide linker in part (a) and another, separate peptide linker in part (b). Amended claims 45-50 now refer to both of these peptide linkers explicitly. Applicant thanks the Examiner for agreeing, in a telephone interview on August 2, 2010, that such an amendment will be entered after final, as it reduces the issues and thereby puts the claims in better condition for appeal.

It is believed that no fees are due. If this is incorrect, kindly apply any necessary charges to deposit account 06-1050, referencing attorney docket no. 14875-0134US1.

Respectfully submitted,

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